

JFA Training: The Big Picture

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If you were a mouse in the corner during a Justice for All training event, you would see





...staff (Catherine is pictured above) teaching high school students to be gracious and persuasive ambassadors for life.

> ...David Lee, our Executive Director, preparing students to give a survey and start a conversation.



..students practicing how to explain the unborn is biologically human.



...mentors in small groups with students. Staff mentor Becca (far left/above) role-plays and leads discussions with her students during our interactive seminar.

...the Exhibit outreach with large groups of college students and trained teenagers engaging in reasoned, loving dialogue about the most contentious issue of our day: abortion! I am at right giving a tour of our exhibit and answering questions.

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Georgia Trip Exceeds Expectations

Below are a few of the highlights from our March trip. More details will come in May!

Presentation to a large pro-life club at a high school in south Atlanta

"I am willing to defend the unborn because I feel like a lot of people don't understand the pain of what they are doing (with abortion). I am interested in learning how I can help be more proactive as a pro-life student." - high school sophomore after hearing our introductory presentation

• Presentation to the Watkinsville First Baptist youth group near Athens, GA

"I will never have an abortion. This really opened my eyes to the monstrocity of it. Thank you so much for coming to our church." - 8th grade student after hearing our introductory presentation

"The presentation reinforced my views on abortion. We need to defend those who can't defend themselves." - high school sophomore after the same presentation

• "Abortion: From Debate to Dialogue" training (for pro-life club and Athens community) at The University of Georgia (UGA)

"Good teaching. I felt that the mentors really cared about improving my knowledge on the topic." - 9th grade student after our classroom training session

"The acting and role-playing helped because it provided practice." - college sophomore following our classroom training session

"Abortion: From Debate to Dialogue" training at Fellowship Christian in Roswell, GA

"Totally changed my ideas about how to try to make a difference for this cause in the way it is approached. I feel like I can approach the topic of abortion in a completely non-argumentative way." - a faculty member from FCHS following our classroom training session

• Outreach days at UGA with the UGA club, Fellowship students, and other volunteers

"Great job! I would like this training done in all of my 11th grade Bible classes or I would like to learn it myself and do the training for them. I don't think the seat work [seminar] and feat work [outreach] can ever be divided. It's the whole experience that makes this so good." - faculty member from FCHS after participating with us

Prayers and Praises for April 2011

- Praise God that the schools in Georgia are even more committed now than they were last year! We're planning for 2012.
- Our events went smoothly in San Antonio this last week. I
 was busy planning for Colorado but our team rocked!
- When you receive this letter, our team will be in the midst of training at four venues in Colorado and having an outreach in Denver. I'll also stay a few days later to plan for 2012 events.

Your support helped make all of this success in Georgia possible!

Defending Human Value together,

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